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<u>Second Preliminary Amendment</u>

Dear Sir:

Amendment Revisions

Please substitute claims 1 and 8 with the following claims 1 and 8.

1. A gear transmission comprising: a first shaft (45), an intermediate shaft (44) which is parallel to the first shaft, a first cylindrical pinion (6) having a first set of teeth and which is mounted to rotate with the first shaft, a second cylindrical pinion (6) having a second set of teeth and mounted to rotate with the intermediate shaft, the first and second sets of teeth of the first cylindrical pinion and the second cylindrical pinion having the same number of teeth and the same diameter and meshing with one another, a third cylindrical pinion (5) which is mounted to rotate with the first shaft, a

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